



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 2043**  
Naoyuki KATOU et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2003\_1144A  
Serial No. 10/647,380 : Group Art Unit 2615  
Filed August 26, 2003 : Examiner Jason Richard Kurr  
APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR : **MAIL STOP: AMENDMENT**  
AUDIO-SIGNAL-PROCESSING

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated January 26, 2007, the time for responding thereto being extended by one month in accordance with a Petition for Extension of Time submitted herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE  
FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT  
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975